

## TWO NEW CALIFORNIAN LIMACODID MOTHS

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*Decatur, Illinois****Monoleuca fieldi* sp. nov.**

Head, legs, and thorax deep rufous-brown. Fore wing: ochreous-tan; near the point of origin of vein 2, a deep rufous-brown narrow oblique line extends inwardly to middle of inner margin, not quite attaining same; this line is not edged by any white scales; from below costa near apex a faint suggestion of a line of similar color extends to about vein 5, parallel to outer margin; fringe tinged with purplish. Hind wing and fringe similar to fore wing, but somewhat paler in color. Beneath, pale yellowish, with some purple marking the fringes.

Expanse: 24 mm.

Belongs to the *occidentalis* group of the genus *Monoleuca*, but distinct, being of a much paler, yellower color and lacking white scales in the medial region.

*Holotype*, ♂, July, 1917 (George H. Field), unique. Barnes collection.

Type locality: Warner's, California.

***Monoleuca disconcolorata* sp. nov.**

Head, legs, thorax, and primaries much like those of *fieldi*, markings similar, the mark below costa near apex stronger. Hind wing and fringe pale silken cream color, nearly white, the fringe along the inner margin somewhat tinged with purple. Beneath, pale yellowish, with some purple marking on the fringes.

Expanse: 21 mm.

May easily be distinguished from its closest ally, *fieldi*, by the disconcolorously pale hind wings.

*Holotype*, ♂, 8-15 July, unique. Barnes collection.

Type locality: Camp Baldy, San Bernardino Mountains, California.